

Hon. Richard A. Jones

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

MARC LAMOUREAX, *et al.*,

Plaintiff(s),

v.

OCWEN LOAN SERVICING, LLC,  
*et al.*,

Defendant(s).

No. C17-1423 RAJ

ORDER SETTING TRIAL DATE  
AND RELATED DATES

**JURY TRIAL DATE**

**JANUARY 14, 2019**

Length of Trial

5 days

Deadline for Joining Additional Parties

January 8, 2018

Deadline to File Amended Pleadings

July 18, 2018

Expert Witness Disclosure/Reports  
Under FRCP 26(a)(2) Due

July 18, 2018

All motions related to discovery must be noted on  
the motion calendar no later than the Friday  
before discovery closes pursuant to  
LCR7(d)(3)

Deadline to Complete Discovery

September 17, 2018

All dispositive motions must be filed by  
and noted on the motion calendar no later  
than the fourth Friday thereafter pursuant to  
LCR7(d)(3)

October 16, 2018

1	All motions <i>in limine</i> must be filed by	December 17, 2018
2	and noted on the motion calendar three	
3	Fridays thereafter pursuant to LCR7(d)(4)	
4	Agreed Pretrial Order due	December 31, 2018
5	Pretrial conference	To be set by the Court
6	Trial briefs, proposed jury instructions,	
7	proposed voir dire, agreed neutral statement	
8	of the case, deposition designations,	
9	and trial exhibits due	January 7, 2019

10           **These are firm dates that can be changed only by order of the Court, not**  
11 **by agreement of counsel or the parties. The Court will alter these dates only**  
12 **upon good cause shown. Should the deadlines set forth in this order not be met,**  
13 **the Court will consider imposing sanctions.** If the trial date assigned to this matter  
14 creates an irreconcilable conflict, counsel must notify Victoria Ericksen, Courtroom  
15 Deputy, by email at [victoria\\_ericksen@wawd.uscourts.gov](mailto:victoria_ericksen@wawd.uscourts.gov) within 10 days of the  
16 date of this Order and must set forth the exact nature of the conflict. A failure to do  
17 so will be deemed a waiver. Counsel must be prepared to begin trial on the date  
18 scheduled, but it should be understood that the trial may have to await the  
19 completion of other cases.

20           **COUNSEL ARE DIRECTED TO REVIEW JUDGE JONES’**  
21 **CHAMBERS PROCEDURES** at [http://www.wawd.uscourts.gov/judges/jones-](http://www.wawd.uscourts.gov/judges/jones-procedures)  
22 [procedures](http://www.wawd.uscourts.gov/judges/jones-procedures). **Counsel are expected to abide by the requirements set forth**  
23 **therein.**

24           Links to Local Rules, Electronic Filing Procedures for Civil and Criminal  
25 Cases, court forms, instruction sheets, and General Orders, can be found on the  
26 Court’s website at [www.wawd.uscourts.gov](http://www.wawd.uscourts.gov).

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## ALTERATIONS TO FILING PROCEDURES

Counsel are required to electronically file all documents with the Court. Pro se litigants may file either electronically or in paper form. Information and procedures for electronic filing can be found on the Western District of Washington's website at <http://www.wawd.uscourts.gov/attorneys/cmecf>.

The following alterations to the Filing Procedures apply in all cases pending before Judge Jones:

**1. Mandatory chambers copies are required for all e-filed opposed motions, responses, replies, and surreplies, and all supporting documentation relating to opposed motions, regardless of page length.**

The paper copy of the documents (with tabs or other organizing aids as necessary) shall be delivered to the Clerk's Office by 12:00 p.m. on the business day after filing. The chambers copy must be clearly marked with the words "Courtesy Copy of Electronic Filing for Chambers." The parties are required to print all courtesy copies from CM/ECF using the "Include headers when displaying PDF documents" feature under "Document Options." This requirement applies also to pleadings filed under seal.

**2. Searchable PDFs:** All documents filed electronically must be submitted in PDF format to permit text searches and to facilitate transmission and retrieval. Before these documents are electronically filed, the CM/ECF User shall convert the documents to PDF format. These documents may not be scanned.

## EXHIBITS

The original and one copy of any exhibits to be used at trial are to be delivered to chambers no later than 4:00 p.m. on the date set forth above. Each exhibit shall be clearly marked. Exhibit tags are available in the Clerk's Office. The Court hereby sets forth the following procedure for numbering exhibits: Plaintiff's exhibits shall be numbered consecutively beginning with 1. Defendant's exhibits shall be numbered consecutively after Plaintiff's exhibits using the next number

1 sequence not used by Plaintiff (*e.g.*, if Plaintiff has marked 150 exhibits, Defendant  
2 shall mark its exhibits beginning with 200) . Duplicate documents shall not be listed  
3 twice. Once a party has identified an exhibit in the pretrial order, any party may use  
4 it. Each set of exhibits shall be submitted in a three-ring binder with appropriately  
5 numbered tabs.


### 6 COOPERATION

7 As required by LCR 37(a), all discovery matters are to be resolved by  
8 agreement, if possible. Counsel and the parties are further directed to cooperate in  
9 preparing the final Pretrial Order in the format required by LCR 16.1, except as it  
10 pertains to exhibits, as ordered above.

### 11 SETTLEMENT

12 Should this case settle, counsel shall notify Victoria Ericksen as soon as  
13 possible at [victoria\\_ericksen@wawd.uscourts.gov](mailto:victoria_ericksen@wawd.uscourts.gov). An attorney or party who fails to  
14 give the Court prompt notice of settlement may be subject to such discipline as the  
15 Court deems appropriate.

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17 DATED: December 7, 2017.

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19 The Honorable Richard A. Jones  
20 United States District Judge  
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